

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the indicated paragraphs of the specification in accordance with the amendments indicated below.

Page 5: 2nd full paragraph, amend as indicated below:

Additionally, the inner wall of the lower case (20) adheres in parallel as tightly as possible to, or occludes in the tightly-adhered stated with, the projecting holder (11) of the upper case (10) to prevent the tubular body (1), wound on the projecting holder (11), from separating and being crushed. An open groove (12) formed on the supporting projecting holder (11) which has a bore wide enough for the branch conduit (2) to fit is formed to affix the branch conduit (2). In order to prevent the branch conduit (2) fitted in to above open groove (12) from separating, a protrusion (22) is formed at the lower case (20) to occlude with the open groove (12). The open groove (12) is equally divided between the upper case (10) and the lower case (20), with which it combines, and that allows for secure affixing by application of pressure.

Page 5: Last full paragraph, amend as indicated below:

Since this is an already known method, a variety of methods ~~will be apparent to the person of ordinary skill in the art~~ can be proposed.

Page 6: 1st full paragraph, amend as indicated below:

And an injection port (2b) is formed on the branch conduit (2) and is combined with an injection valve (40) that has one directional flow, whereby the injection valve (40) is exposed through a passageway hole (13) of the upper case (10) and thereafter, medical fluid is injected through the injection valve (40) which is exposed through the passageway hole (13). Therefore, medical fluid, when injected into ~~the hose for medical fluids (100)~~ the injection port (2b), flows into the branch conduit (2) and expands the tubular body (1). Since the expanded two-layered tubular body (1) tightly adheres to the projecting holder (11) and winds circularly therearound, it contracts with the two layers at the same time when contracting and thereby, the change of its expansion pressure in the beginning and later periods becomes reduced.

Pages 6-7: Paragraph bridging pages 6-7, amend as indicated below:

Additionally, the combining method to affix the branch conduit (2) is by forming fixing protrusion (2a) on the branch conduit (2) and by forming fixing grooves (14) on the counter parts of the upper case (10) and lower case (20), which thereby allow firm affixation by combining upon applying force. ~~And an injection port (2b) is formed on the branch conduit (2) and is combined with an injection valve (40) that has one directional flow, whereby the injection valve (40) is exposed through a passageway hole (13) of the upper case (10) and thereafter, medical fluid is injected through the injection valve (40) which is exposed through the passageway hole (13).~~